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## Here and There

When Amos Kendall was post-general, at Washington, so every day, he wrote one day a postmaster at a little station on the Tennessee river: "You will see when this department how the Tennessee runs up," to which the postmaster answered: "I am the honor to inform the department that the Tennessee river don't run at all, it runs down." In a course of mail came another communication: "On receipt of your appointment as postmaster, Mr. Kendall has appointed your successor," which went the following reply: "The receipts of this office during the past year have been \$4.37 and I am sure that no doubt that a piece to kindly instruct my successor to pay me the balance of said office."

A lady living on Route No. 3—evidently intends to swamp the street—ask the Courier how to serve eggs. Here you are. Use a pound of pickles, half a pound of salt and one gallon of boiling water, this will keep eggs eight days. Place the eggs in it and they will remain sound. The jar in which the eggs should be deposited in, must, dry place.

The mere fact that the parties to a legal agreement intend that it be reduced to writing, signed and under seal, as a memorial of agreement, does not suspend the force of the contract until signed. The contract is binding, though never reduced to writing.

Announcement is made that Third Assistant Postmaster General E. C. Cullen will resign in a very short time. This bit of news will be glad-taken by newspaper publishers, in general. Cullen will be remembered as having antagonized the press more than any other man in public office for years, and it is a natural result that in his resignation should be taken as a political break. He is a way of wanting the newspaper to be more every time he took it.

At this bachelor tax proposition to take a stand soon, we are going to find ourselves between the rock and the deep sea. Because some states are so backward in their policy that they have not yet passed laws to marry them is no reason for being considered so in Kentucky.

At least six states revenue bills have been passed in the last few days.

It is notable that while the spinners of Wakefield, Mass., pray to General Grant for a graduated income tax up to forty years, the spinners of other states pray for a graduated income tax after that age, the spinners of Charleston, W. Va., pray for the State Legislature to take the coldest bath.

"Just leave them to us" is in the mouth of the fair Southern states.

Law proposes the highest bachelor tax—\$2 a year at the age of twenty and \$40 at the age of forty and asks the proceeds to be a home for fallen women. Women would devote its tax on money to good roads, feeling that a condemned bachelor must necessarily have a hard road to travel.

The fear is expressed in Texas, where there are 100,000 bachelors, that the suggested tax would drive them into poly marriages. There is no such apprehension in Sparta, where celibacy was a punishable crime, nor in Rome under Augustus, when unmarried men under sixty were forbidden to accept legacies.

It does this consideration disturb gentlemen, whose law taxes bachelors \$5 a month from the age of thirty to thirty and works the rate to \$20 for the ages of thirty-five to forty.

These states should encourage married parties on moonlight nights. We know where we speak.

"The farmer's wife had some fine chickens, but why should she stand there and applaud them so?" "What did you do?" asked an amused listener.

"Why, I applauded, too," said the girl. "What else could I do?"

"Coming-out" parties for girls are generally intended as public announcements that they are willing to go into retirement in a "cottage built for two."

A newspaper declares that there would be more Rockefeller in the world if young men spent as much effort in money making as they do in love making. Perhaps, but there is something wrong about the young man who would rather make money than to make love. Besides, have not we enough Rockefellers now?

It is suspected that President Roosevelt's endorsement of the new style of spelling was intended primarily to help girl stenographers who can't spell.

Hickman is enjoying a splendid, soul-stirring meeting. Nearly all the churches of the town are lending a helping hand to Brother Harris in his earnest endeavor to save souls. The united effort of the churches has a good effect on folks—especially the many who take refuge under the cloak of "church disunity." This meeting is a demonstration of the old time religion—without doubt the only kind that won't rob off.

But, Brother, religion—like the proverbial charity phrase—"should begin at home."

How many people who profess to have religion, so much as know what it is, or what it means?

How many people claiming to be professed Christians, know anything of its real enjoyment?

The word religion was held sacred by the Romans and signified an oath or vow to the gods of that country, but the common acceptance of the word in these days means a different thing altogether.

The Christian religion in its broad sense means a belief in the being and perfection of God and the revelation of His will to man and in man's obligation to serve and obey Him.

A man who has religion should understand that it comprehends theology as a system of doctrines or principles as well as a belief in practical piety.

The person who believes in the practice of moral duties without a belief in a divine lawgiver and without reference to his will or commandment, but little about the true religion, which is necessary to save the soul.

Religion don't consist in the performance of known moral duties to God and to man, or to obey or to comply with the statutory laws of the land, but it means godliness or real piety in practice and in the performance of all known duties to God and our fellow-men in obedience to the divine command or from love to God and His law.

How many persons have had their names enrolled upon some church book and have said to the world in this way that they have "religion," when in fact, for the love of God, they perform but few known duties to him. The person who does not perform all known duties to God for the love he has for God has not that religion that will save his soul after death.

## A Man Who is Making the World Better



Rev. B. Marvin Harris  
Of Missouri.  
Rev. Harris is at the head of the Union Revival Meeting now in progress in this city. To say that he is an able preacher, an earnest worker and a loyal friend is putting it in a mild form.

Religion, if it be the religion that will save our souls, means the conscious relation between man and God, and the expression of that relation in human conduct. Human observation shows to the world how few people express their religion in their conduct so as to convince the world they are in close relationship with God.

We are getting dollars every day from our subscribers. Are you not a delinquent? Think about the matter—bring or send us a dollar.

"It is better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all," must have been written for the consolation of bachelors who lost out in their love affairs.

Wont be a long time until the Hickman Concert Band will be giving open air concerts. We are all getting anxious to hear some good music.

It's the strangest thing in the world to some women that the man who never talks while at home objects to the parrot talking all the time.

The old-fashioned girl who crocheted trimmings for her dress has gone with the old-fashioned girl who liked to cook the family meals.

A Constable at Barlow, Ky., one day last week, to secure the payment of a forty dollar judgment against the Illinois Central Railroad Co., in his county, closed the office of the depot at that place, locked the ticket case, and all property of the company. He would not even permit the agent to get a bucket of coal to replenish the fire. He attached a freight train and all the cars in the town. He said if the judgment was not paid in a few days he would stop the company from doing any business at all in the town.

If it will abolish smoking compartments on the trains women will support Mr. Bryan's government-ownership-of-railroads policy.

The training of the boys is generally entrusted to mama because papa doesn't want them to become prize-fighters or politicians.

March 1906.  
Fifty-three dogs had been registered for taxation in the city limits, in compliance with the new dog tax law.

A statement was printed in the Courier, showing the increased business at the postoffice in Hickman in the past few years.

Dr. S. K. Davidson had just returned from a trip to Havana, Cuba and to Daytona, Fla., where he will have charge of the soda fountain. He will remain here six months and will then attend a school of pharmacy in Louisville.

Work was progressing nicely on the new artesian well.

Work was begun toward rebuilding Cayce, which was wiped up in flames a short time previous.

Chas. Kistner, operator at the Western Union office in Hickman, was promoted to the Mobile & Ohio office in Union City. Last week he was promoted to the Chief Train Dispatcher's office.

Hickman's Grocery Co., was organized.

East Prairie suffered a disastrous fire.

Negro John Smith was killed by Bob Shelby in Jack Martin's restaurant.

Clemens Caldwell, while going from Hickman to Crystal, and while crossing Reelfoot creek while swelled, was drowned in view of his companion.

## Fashionable

## Spring Fabrics!!

We are now able to show you complete lines of every kind of merchandise and we advise early purchases as it will be very hard to find what you want later on, and impossible at present prices.

## CALL AND INSPECT

The new Dress Goods,  
Wash Fabrics, Laces,  
Embroideries, Ribbons,  
Long Silk Gloves, Belts,  
Purses, Novelties, Etc., Etc.

## Our Millinery Department

Is again under the charge of Miss Bourne and Miss Rogers, the ladies who so capably managed this department last season.

At our opening, which will be announced later, we expect to make a display of stylish millinery never before equalled in Hickman.

We are now showing a stylish line of street hats.

## SMITH & AMBERG

### Attention Subscribers.

If the subscribers of the Courier will call at the Courier office before they begin to plant their garden, it is probable that we may be able to make the visit worth the while to them.

Asher Kennedy, the popular young clerk at Helm & Ellison's drug store severed his connection with that firm Friday, and begun work at Percy Jones' Cafe, where he will have charge of the soda fountain. He will remain here six months and will then attend a school of pharmacy in Louisville.

For this reason mothers and others, should insist on having Dr. Squire's Cough Cure. No poison-marks on Dr. Squire's Cough Cure label, but it is not the medicine that must be laid on the label, but it is the knowledge that it is a truly reliable remedy. Take no chance, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Squire's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Squire's Cough Cure with others and see. No poison-marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding Dr. Squire's Cough Cure. Sincerely refuse to accept any other. Sold by all dealers.

### Have You Paid Your City Tax For 1906?

If not you must pay same this week to save cost of advertising as all delinquent tax will be advertised in next week's Courier, so we meet one and save this extra cost.

G. L. Carpenter, City Marshal.

Forecast. Mr. Hicks, the weather forecaster, has copyrighted his weather forecast, thus prohibiting publishers from reproducing his forecasts in any form, but we can say that he predicts some very ugly weather for the first two weeks in March. He has heretofore given permission for the publishers to reprint his forecasts, but he says if they are permitted to do this it would deprive him of a living. Perhaps he is right, he is a pretty good forecaster anyway.

A dollar saved is a dollar made. Then order your coal from the Newton Coal Co. Telephone 94.

### Prepare This Yourself.

For those who have any form of blood disorder, who want new, rich blood and plenty of it, try this: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime. Any good pharmacy can supply the ingredients at small cost.

This is the prescription which, when made up, is called "The Vegetable Treatment;" by others, the "Cyclone Blood Purifier." It acts gently and certainly does wonders for some people who are sickly, weak and out of sorts, and it is known to relieve serious, long-standing cases of rheumatism and chronic backache quickly.

Make some up and try it. 35-9-43

### ALICE ROOSEVELT'S WEDDING

was something to be recorded in the annals of history. Her husband, the greatest of liver regulators, a positive cure for indigestion, constipation, biliousness and all liver complaints.

J. S. Smith, Little Rock, Ark., writes: "Her husband is the greatest liver medicine known. Have used it for years. It does the work."

Sold by Coughlin's Drug Store and Helm & Ellison.

Judge J. E. Robbins, formerly judge of the Fulton Circuit Court will be appointed special judge to try the Caleb Powers case at Georgetown, this summer. He tried the case the last time it was tried and says he will accept the appointment if the regular judge will not try the case.

WANTED—Gentleman or lady to travel for Mercantile House of large capital. Territory at home or abroad to suit. If desirable the home may be used as headquarters. Weekly salary of \$1,000 per year and expenses. Address, with stamp, Jos. A. Alexander, Hickman, Ky. 37









## THE HICKMAN COURIER

"Covers Western Kentucky like the Palm"

H. Y. BEALE, W. O. SPEER, J. G. BERTON,  
Editors and Proprietors.

ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR  
CASH IN ADVANCE!

Entered at the Hickman, Kentucky,  
postoffice as second class mail matter.

Friday, March 8, 1907.

### GOOD ROADS THE ISSUE.

The Courier has at frequent intervals written and printed editorials on the road question for Fulton county, and although we have heard but a few favorable comments on our view of the situation, those few have proven conclusively to our minds the fact that something can be done, and must be done, and this year.

Now there is a diversity of opinion about the system that should be adopted by which we shall secure and maintain good roads in the county. There are two methods by which this much desired purpose may be attained. One way is for the Fiscal court to merely levy a road tax, and provide that the taxes derived from that levy be used to maintain the roads. The other is for a special election to be ordered for the purpose of issuing bonds. It requires only a two-thirds majority vote to issue bonds. The latter in the Courier's opinion, is the most desirable step to be taken. Our idea is this: Let there be \$50,000 worth of forty year bonds issued. Take this money and expend it upon the roads, make good road beds, put the roads in a good condition to begin with, in order that the expense afterward will not be so great to maintain them. Then, let there be a twenty-five cent road tax levied. This levy will furnish the county \$10,000 a year. Out of this amount can be paid the \$3,000 a year interest on the bonds, leaving \$7,000 a year which can be put into a sinking fund, for the purpose of paying the bonds when they are due. This bonded indebtedness can be paid in forty years at the rate of \$1,250 a year. We have \$7,000 a year to pay it with. The \$7,000 can be paid into a sinking fund, and loaned out with good security at six per cent, and the interest from year to year will be compounded; or if seen fit, a lesser amount can be paid into the sinking fund, and the balance can be used as additional funds toward maintaining the roads. And still another solution, if the \$7,000 a year looks to large, is to levy a 15 cent tax instead of a 25 cent tax. This would produce \$6,000 a year, and after paying the \$3,000 interest would leave \$3,000 to apply on the sinking fund.

Now some of you will say you are opposed to the bonds being issued because your children and grandchildren will pay the indebtedness. Not so; while it is true the indebtedness will be paid forty years hence; you are helping to accumulate that money every year, and so is every other man who may pay taxes in the county for the next forty years, and this is as it should be, for they will get the benefit of the good system of roads which will then be adopted and maintained, and for which you have been paying your portion. The advantage in our opinion, of the bonds, is that when the bonds are issued, the money is available and a good system can be adopted, a good substantial road bed made, and as we have said before, the cost of maintaining will be less hereafter, than if merely a tax be levied and the proceeds of the levy be used each year as funds become available.

We have expressed our opinion of the best method, and will be pleased to have anyone who is interested, express theirs, through the Courier, or to the Courier personally, so that we may let the public see what you think.

The regular term of Fiscal court meets in April, let us put a shoulder to the wheel, and see if we can not accomplish something—for we have already realized that the hour of need is at hand.

There is a question that is gradually forcing itself upon the people

of this community, and that is the negro question. As a rule the negroes of the town are peaceable and law abiding. But there are some who are never known to do anything, who will never work if you ask them to, yet they seem to live well and are clothed well. They spend their time day in and day out loafing upon the streets, blocking the passage to the depot, spitting upon the walks and being at ladies who are forced to crowd past them on the highways. The evil is getting too general and the sooner something is done toward eliminating the evil, the better, and probably much trouble would be avoided.

During the year 1907, let us see if each one of us cannot do something that will in some way benefit the community. Speak an opportune good word for the town if you cannot do anything else. It is a pleasure to live in a town where everyone are united in an effort to make that community the very best there is, and it is one of the most discouraging experiences imaginable to be in a town where there are a lot of soreheads who are continually growling about something, they know not what. If all of us will help some, at all times, then we will have an ideal community, and one to which strangers will always be glad to come.

The honorable Ollie James of this district has been making a noise like a four-time winner in the halls of congress within the past week. The things he hasn't done would be easier to make a list of than the things he has done. He has hung himself into the breach between the "pep" and the money-devils so often that it has become a daily feature of the session of the House for the gentleman from Kentucky to wring the nose or pull the ears of the octopus midst the applause of the galleries.

Democrats may differ among themselves and from republicans as to the details of a direct primary bill, but these differences will not lead them to oppose the direct primary. It is democratic and no democrat can afford to vote against it. The expense of the primary should be borne by the city, county or state rather than by the candidates, for a tax upon the candidates tends to restrict the offices and make money the test in office holding.

The Republican state convention will be held on Wednesday, June 19 instead of June 26, as originally decided. The change was made because of the fact that the State Association of Master Plumbers will hold its annual convention in Louisville, beginning June 25, and continuing three days, and it is believed that suitable hotel accommodations could not be provided for the delegates to both bodies.

The farmer was slow to learn the benefits to him personally of the wear and tear upon horses and vehicles, owing to general betterment of highways, has proved to him that country money expended on road improvements is a capital investment. The extension of free rural delivery, one of his real home comforts, has been more easily possible owing to better roads being provided everywhere.

As though the announcement that car-rings had come into fashion again were not bad enough, it is said that the woman who would be up-to-date in her appearance must have a number of pendants hung on the chain for her eye-glasses.

Senator Joe Blackburn, the retiring democratic senator from Kentucky, has been appointed by the President, to a position on the Panama Canal Commission.

Courts have decided at Lexington, Ky., that Express companies must pay damages due to live stock while in their custody regardless of the value of the stock.

## MANY ATTRACTIONS.

PLANS FOR GREATER LOUISVILLE EXPOSITION OPENING MAR. 12.

BASE-BALL GAMES SPECIAL DAYS.

Louisville Extends a Most Cordial Invitation To All To Visit Louisville at This Time.

As the time for the opening of the Greater Louisville Exposition draws near, the interest in that great event in this and all other sections of the State of Kentucky, as well as throughout the South, is greatly increasing. The visitors to Louisville will return home and give expressions of deep interest in the exposition and pride in the enterprise and public spirit of the exposition officials working so hard in the interest of their state and city without prospect or wish for any pecuniary gain.

Showing what pride they take in their city's great enterprise, the merchants and manufacturers of Louisville have covered their consignees and stationery almost over with advertising matter concerning the exposition, and the title, "Greater Louisville Exposition," seems to appear in the most unexpected quarters at the most unexpected times. Louisville's "drummers" who visit here to do some "bumming" for their no other reason than the fact of Kentucky will be bound to go to Louisville between March 15 and 30 to see what has been so widely heralded. This will be a matter of easy accomplishment, because the railroads of Kentucky have announced a rate of



FRED LEVY,  
President of the Louisville Commercial Club, and Vice President of the Greater Louisville Exposition Company.

one fare for the round trip, with three selling dates each week, the tickets good returning until April 1. Besides these splendid rates, many single-day excursions will be run, and it is said by the railroad officials' committee of the Louisville Chamber of Commerce, that the rates for these excursions will be the least ever offered for a similar enterprise.

The Division of Programme of the exposition is now busily engaged in preparing the plans for the various days. Interesting programmes will be arranged for those special days, and the music by the great Creators' band will be added attraction to the exposition twice daily. This band of sixty renowned soloists is recognized everywhere as being absolutely the finest organization of its kind, and the twice-daily concerts will be included in the extraordinarily low price of admission, which will be twenty cents for adults and fifteen cents for children. For special days, St. Creators have very graciously consented to make his programme typical of the occasion. The following days have been decided upon, and plans are in train to make each one an unique success: Dedication Day, Edison Day, Children's Day, Greater Louisville (Falls City) Day, All Kentucky Day, Paternal Day, Transportation Day, Woman's Day, University Day, Music Day, Newspaper Day and God-way Day.

It will be of interest to lovers of the national game to know that the Louisville baseball team will contest with two major league teams during the exposition period, playing five games in all. It can be seen that the people of Kentucky will have a splendid opportunity of seeing the Greater Louisville Exposition, hear Creators' famous band, and see such magnificent baseball organizations as the Chicago National League team and the Boston Americans. Boston will play three games, March 23, 24 and 25, while Chicago will play three games, March 28 and 29. Louisville will certainly hold vast interest for Kentuckians during the period of March 15-30.

Displayed upon the walls of the Exposition Building in Louisville will be seen the trademarks and labels of Louisville merchants and manufacturers. This riot of color will be spread in a broad band around the building, and will add much to the general decorative scheme. These labels and trademarks will be very attractively framed, and it will be possible to gather a very plain idea of what Louisville can do by looking at these frames. This opportunity to be represented in the great exposition had been very eagerly grasped by many who are not eligible to show a manufacturer's product. It has been estimated that at least one-half of the manufacturers of Louisville will be represented in the trademark and label display.



## Who Sells

### The ANCHOR BUGGY?

Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### HARNESS and SADDLES?

Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### BEST FARMING IMPLEMENTS?

Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### The Old Reliable Hickman Wagon?

Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### Best Wire Fence—"Square Deal"?

NOT MADE BY A TRUST  
Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### The KEEN KUTTER Hardware?

Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### The BEST QUEENSWARE?

Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### Who carries the most up-to-date line of Coffins and Caskets?

Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### Who wants a share of your trade?

Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### Who gives you the best value for your money?

Farmers Hardware Co., Inc.

### "The House of Quality"

## MARSHAL'S SALE FOR TAXES.

On Monday, April 8th, 1907, it being the first day of the April term of the Fulton County Court, at the Court House door, in Hickman, Ky., I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, for taxes due the City of Hickman, the following described real estate, assessed in the names of the following parties, to-wit:

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Branham, Walter	2 " " "	300	7 55														
Brewer, Brown	2 " " "	200	6 24														
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Bulins, Jim	1 " " " EH	75	4 59														
Gilbert, Albert	1 " " "	200	6 24														
Jackson, Lindy	1 " " " GA	150	3 99														
G. T. CARPENTER C. M.																	

G. L. CARPENTER, C. M.

### CURES BLOOD, SKIN DISEASES, CANCER, GREATEST BLOOD PURIFIER FREE

If your blood is impure, thin, diseased, hot or full of tumors, if you have blood poison, cancer, carbuncles, eating sores, scrofula, eczema, itching, rashes and bumps, scaly, itchy skin, home pain, rheumatism, or any blood or skin disease, take Botanic Blood Balm B. B. B. soon all these bad, aches and pains stop and the blood is made pure and rich. Botanic Blood Balm B. B. B. is especially adapted for chronic, deep-seated cases, as it cures after all else fails.

The Farmers' Hardware Co., are beginning an advertising campaign, and are thus laying a business foundation which will eventually, and not in the far distant future, be as strong as Gibraltar. Their motto is "the house of quality" and they propose to give you full value for the money which you spend with them, and will treat you courteously at all times.

—H. C. Barrett the undertaker is with the Farmers Hardware Company Incorporated, the house of quality.

### Are You Planning a New Home?

Many are occupied at this season in making plans for their new homes. The planning of the home is one of the most essential features and should have every consideration. Let us plan your plumbing. We execute all contracts on the most sanitary lines, employ competent mechanics, and use the best fixtures made—namely, "Standard" Porcelain Enamelled Baths and One-piece Lavatories. Our illustrated booklet, "Modern Home Plumbing," is free.

### Cotton & Adams, Plumbers

A Persian Prince who is touring this country says he is too busy to think of matrimony. If he keeps his eyes open he will notice that many people in this country rush into it without thinking.

—Let the Hickman Ice & Coal Co. sell you some of their coal. You'll use no other. Telephone 48.

The long tails of the Shah of Persia's horses are dyed crimson for six inches at their tips a jealousy guarded privilege of the ruler and his sons.

"We do not know anything," says Mr. Edison. Prudently, he chose the life of an electrical inventor. He never would have made an editor.

Why One Man Declined Election as United States Senator.

J. H. Hale, the millionaire fruit grower of South Glastonbury, Conn., who is known all over the country as one of the largest growers in the world, is perhaps the only man in the country who ever "turned down" a unanimous election as United States senator. Mr. Hale owns something like 350,000 fruit trees in Georgia. It cost him last year nearly \$150,000 merely to get his enormous crop on the market, but he is one of the most delightfully uncontentious men in Connecticut.

He has always been interested in movements for the betterment of his town and state. Some few years ago he was tendered the election as senator "on a silver platter," as he easily put it. When waited upon by the legislative committee, Mr. Hale literally held up his hands.

"Gentlemen," he said, "I don't want to be elected to your august senate. Really, I don't. I'd rather be a farmer. Besides—there's more money in it." And Mr. Hale, who has gained considerable prominence as a public speaker, says he is still "close to the soil."

OF COURSE.



There's one or two countries—landed, for example—where washing is not devalued, because nature provides the hot water at one's very elbow in the shape of steaming springs of spouting geysers. But there is only one country where the water comes to practically all their washing by unaided nature, and that is the North Island of New Zealand.

There is a wonderland of a thousand square miles, so volcanic that it may be lighted by inserting a few sticks in the earth, and where one makes a hole he speedily finds a pool of boiling water, into which a pail may be lowered instead in a cloth and cooked expeditiously.

Frequently in perfectly cooked steams a boiling hot current may be won and felt running along the edge of the river, and here the Maori women do their own and the white man's washing. Naturally the volcanic region of New Zealand is a dangerous country to wander in without a guide, and many tourists have lost their lives as the result of such carelessness.

#### HER ARITHMETIC FACULTY.

The busy shopper paused at the fruit vendor's stand. "How much are your pineapples?" she asked. "Eight cents apiece, lady."

"Well, I declare, that's too good to be moved; I'll take eight of them," she said.

"The dealer placed them in a bag and said: 'Eight eights—88. You are done along for 85.'"

The lady's eyes sparkled at the bargain price, and she departed in a happy frame of mind—happy until her husband told her to brush up on the multiplication table—Lippincott's.

#### ALL TALK.

Mrs. Subbe—Mrs. Naybor says the driver has to ask her husband for money, because he gives her all she wants. I wish I could say that.

Mr. Subbe—Well, why don't you, my dear? You can talk just as big as she does."

#### RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.

"Yes, the fine fellow is dead and he left his money to charity. His funeral was very largely attended."

"Ah, yes, he had lots of friends. I don't suppose he had any enemies at all."

"Oh, yes, a few; he had several

# 40% Interest!

That's a pretty fair rate, isn't it?  
You say: "How's that?"  
You ask because the proposition appeals to you; because it must mean a loss to somebody.  
You are right. We are the losers.

Listen:  
Folks often make mistakes. We made one last Fall when we anticipated a big trade for the winter months. Everything was promising early in the game, but later—alas. To make a long story short, we bought heavily in winter underwear and heavy shoes—all crackin' good stuff, too,—but we got overstocked. Now, we must get rid of these goods at some price, so we have marked every dollar's worth down to 60c. When you buy any of these, you just make 40c on the dollar. You see the point, and it's up to you. Look at our show window and you'll see some of these goods. Drop in, too, and look at our 1907 line of fancy hosiery and neckwear.—Bradley & Parham. Please, pretty please don't forget that 40 per cent proposition

#### Council Proceedings.

HICKMAN, KY., March 4, 1907  
Council met in regular session. Present, Mayor Dillon, Councilmen Hale, Donnell, Hertweck, Edmonds, Helm and Caruthers.

Minutes of last meeting were read, approved and signed.

The following accounts were presented, properly approved and on motion allowed and checks ordered issued for amounts:

Hickman Lumber & Planing Mill Co., lumber.....	\$ 96.52
G. L. Carpenter, electric light poles and killing dog.....	10.50
Cotton & Adams, labor and material on sewer.....	61.00
Hickman Ice & Coal Co., labor, street lights, etc.....	169.45
Cowgill's Drug Store, mds.....	4.30
Dan Rice, attending street lantern.....	2.50

Report of City Treasurer for February, 1907:

GENERAL FUND ACCOUNT	
To balance per Jan. report.....	\$522.00
To cash received from H. C. Helm.....	63.65
To cash received from G. L. Carpenter.....	450.00
By amount paid out during January.....	426.18
Balance to credit this acct.....	\$609.47

WATER & LIGHT BOND ACCOUNT	
To balance per Jan. report.....	\$1469.03
To cash received from G. L. Carpenter.....	200.00
Balance to credit this acct.....	\$1669.03

CITY HALL ACCOUNT	
To balance per Jan. report.....	\$126.54
By amt. paid out during Feb.....	4.00
Balance to credit this acct.....	\$122.54

W. C. JOHNSON, C. T.

Mrs. May McKinney appeared before the Council in behalf of the Daughters of the Confederacy, and stated that the Daughters proposed

to build a handsome archway to the entrance of the City Cemetery in the near future, and asked that the Council build the foundation for the arch. Upon motion the Council granted the request, and agreed to have the foundation built as soon as the dimensions are furnished them.

On motion Council adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

H. C. HELM, City Clerk.

HICKMAN, KY., March 5, 1907  
Council met pursuant to adjournment of last night.

Present, Mayor Dillon, Councilmen Helm, Edmonds, Caruthers, Hale, Donnell and Hertweck.

The advisability of discontinuing the extra police force was discussed at length, and upon a vote being polled, the services of Policemen Ballard and Hammond were discontinued, effective March 10, 1907.

H. C. HELM, City Clerk.

For Chatham let me send you free, just to prove merit, a Trial size Box of Dr. Rhoads' Scurvy Remedy. It is a once, white, creamy, healing antiseptic balm that gives instant relief to Chatham of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see. Address Dr. Rhoads, Harting, Wis. Large box, 50 cents. Sold by all druggists.

#### THE A. S. of E. COLUMN

—BY MR. J. H. SAUNDERS—

#### SUPPLY AND DEMAND.

The following is taken from the St. Louis Semi-Weekly Star: Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is resourceful; and he is active. It is now reported that he wishes an experimental farm in every county in the union. These experimental stations and farms are to teach farmers how to do better farming, and how to raise more and better stuff.

In thus aiding the farmers the department is doing a great work that is highly appreciated by the agricultural interests of the country, and by the time Mr. Wilson gets all his experimental farms in operation farmers ought to be able to raise twice as much as they do now, and

to sell it for half what they now get, to be resold to consumers for double what the consumers now pay, and yield four times as much profit to the storers and absorbers of farm products.

But farmers are not hogish. They appreciate what the department of agriculture is doing for them, but they are not so selfish as to wish to monopolize the favors of the government. There are other struggling citizens that farmers are willing the government should help also.

For instance, there are the plow manufacturers. They are good people and are making a very useful article. Why does not the government establish some experimental plow factories to teach these people how to make more plows and better ones? A shop that now produces ten plows a day might easily be taught by scientific government experiments to produce twenty, and if all these factories were taught to double their outputs, what a benefit it would be to the good people who make plows, and there would never be so much danger of a scarcity of these useful implements.

And the wagon makers. They deserve assistance also. Government experts could set up experimental wagon shops, and the output might easily be doubled. Don't you know the wagon makers would be delighted with such government assistance?

And the makers of mowing machines, harvesters, nails, wire and wire fencing, and woolen and cotton goods, and all other manufactured goods. Why, there is an endless field for government experimental shops to teach these people to make twice as much as they now make. True, in all these lines the demand is being very well supplied, but that is not the question. Let us have more, and more, and more. If some crank suggests that too much of these goods may bring the price below the cost of manufacture, shut him up immediately. He is an

enemy of progress, and don't know that prosperity consists in more and more of it. The price is not a matter experimental shops are concerned with if these factories would all double their output; it would be so easy for Secretary Wilson, or Secretary Schembly, to figure out the billions of wealth the factories had produced.

And, then, if the factories were all educated by state and optional experimental shops to everlastingly spread themselves and produce more than they were ever known to produce, boards of trade and exchanges could be formed and many enterprising citizens could find remunerative employment in gambling upon what the manufactured goods would be worth from month to month. And then, too, the department of agriculture, or the department of commerce and labor, could get busy issuing monthly reports as to the progress of these factories—how much steam was being gathered by the boilers, how much raw material had been purchased, how sharp the tools were being kept, and other information valuable to those who were betting the price of plows, wagons, etc., would be so much in July or December. The departments are permitted a wonderful opportunity to do a great work and equalize the government's favors in expert experimentation.

But manufacturers and the world laugh at such a suggestion. Why? Would it be any more ridiculous for the government and the schools and the trade papers to strain every nerve to increase the output of manufactured goods without any reference to the price, than it is for the same institutions to do all in their power to increase farm production without any reference to the price at which the products shall sell?

Some people can't see the ridiculousness of a thing until you knock the wool from over their eyes with chunks of its very absurdity.

Our meeting at Roper school house was very flattering. It is said that "no prophet is without honor save in his own country," but the very best farmers of Roper District and some four other districts turned out in goodly numbers, notwithstanding the bad roads (many of them having to walk across fields) and for an hour and a half gave very careful attention to such facts and figures as we have gathered from Up-to-Date Farming. Third power and observation elsewhere.

After the address the audience asked questions for half an hour, showing that the farmers were deeply interested and that the seed soon were germinating.

If the afternoon had not been so short and the roads so muddy I think we could have spent another hour and a half, but I was forced to leave with a promise to return when the people had digested the discourse.

On Thursday p. m. the Executive Committee and Chairman of the Soliciting Committee met with the Hazel Dell nucleus.

Mr. Elijah Bradley who heard the address at Roper, came down and united with us.

This proved to be a very enthusiastic meeting. Addresses were made by W. B. McGehee, J. A. McClure, J. H. Saunders, W. A. Brasfield, J. C. Roper, Sam'l Linder, L. M. Carter and prehaps others.

The discussions were animated and perhaps sometimes a little warm but all showed that the members believed in co-operation and readily submitted to the decision of a majority vote. The president appointed J. A. McClure, Chas. Noon, J. H. Saunders, J. C. Roper and Geo. B. Turekild as a Committee on constitution and by-laws for the equity elevator.

This committee met at Hazel Dell on Saturday the 2nd and drafted the following: We the farmers of Fulton County, Ky., and Obion County, Tenn., united in the A. S. of E., have determined to erect, purchase or rent a Grain elevator to be known as the A. S. of E. elevator. All A. S. of E. members in these two counties are hereby requested to subscribe stock for this purpose.

This stock shall be divided into shares of ten dollars each, and each member is requested to take one or more shares, but to one shall be permitted to take more than 50 shares.

After the full amount of stock has been subscribed sufficient to erect, purchase or rent an elevator that will hold not less than 50,000 bushels of grain, the stockholders shall select the location of said elevator and a board of directors who shall appoint a Superintendent, Secretary and Treasurer to collect the stock and erect, purchase or rent an elevator to store the wheat crop of Fulton Co. Ky., and Obion Co. Tenn., or such part of said crop as the A. S. of E. members in these counties will hold for the minimum price.

In the selection of a site, election of officers or deciding any other question that comes before the stockholders of this company, each member shall have as many votes as he holds shares of stock.

After the elevator is erected, purchased or rented, stockholders who desire to do so shall be permitted to sell their shares to A. S. of E. members, but no one shall be permitted to sell stock to any person who is not a member of the A. S. of E. or to anyone whose purchase would increase his stock to over 50 shares.

If the stockholders do not pledge enough grain for storage to fill said elevator, the superintendent of this elevator shall be permitted to store wheat for other farmers who are not stockholders, and charge them one half cent per bushel per month for storage, provided said farmers will hold their wheat for the minimum price as the stockholders do.

The Board of Directors shall have power to decide the charges for storage and amount of dividend if any for the second and succeeding years, but for the first year no dividend shall be paid to the stockholders, but the profits, if any, shall be held as a reserve fund.

As a majority of our members believe that a larger measure is better calculated to give justice than a quart cup, it shall be the duty of our superintendent to use the bushel or half bushel measure in grading wheat instead of the miller's cup.

The Board of Directors shall be elected annually on the day of — and the stockholders shall each year select the place of meeting and holding the next annual election."

The committee on constitution and by-laws will report to the executive committee at Hazel Dell School House, on Saturday the 9th inst. at nine o'clock a. m.

All members and friends and persons deserving membership are invited to meet with us at the same time and place.

I thank the editor of the Courier for his explanation of the misunderstanding in regard to telephone last week and hope that Mr. Ballou and the friends on his line understand that I had no reference to them. I have no desire to dictate to any one what sort of phone he must put up or use, but I do wish that all the farmers of Fulton county had phones so arranged that we could communicate with each other as we sell them in marketing our crops for fair prices.

#### Black Langshans.

Three pens of Black Langshans, headed by prize winning males, \$1 per 15 eggs. Also a few settings of Buff Rock eggs at \$1.50 per 15.

Mrs. Annie McDaniel, Hickman, Ky.

#### DON'T COMPLAIN.

If your chest pains and you are unable to sleep because of a cough, buy a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and you won't have any cough. It is a bottle now and that cough will not last long. A cure for all pulmonary diseases. Mrs. J. —, Chilveston, Tex., writes: "I can't say enough for Ballard's Horehound Syrup. The relief it has given me is what is necessary for me to say."

Mr. Fred Noland, of Union City, has accepted a position with Helm & Ellison at the soda fountain. He takes the place of Asher Kennedy, who has begun work at the fountain in Percy Jones' Cafe.

Try the Courier's Want Column.



# Sheriff's Sale for Taxes!

On Monday, April 8th, 1907, it being the first day of the April term of the Fulton County Court, at the Court House door, in Hickman, Ky., I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, for taxes due the State and County of Fulton and cost of sale, the following described real estate, assessed in the names of the following parties, to-wit:

—Two Dollars added in each case for costs.—

FULTON PRECINCT—WHITE				NAME				PROPERTY	VALUE	TAX
NAME	PROPERTY	VALUE	TAX	NAME	PROPERTY	VALUE	TAX			
Adams, Lon	1 t 1 in Fulton	\$ 50 00	\$ 3 50	Fields, J C	23 acres dist 4	300	6 18			
Boswell Mrs W L	3 " "	1000	11 01	Fowler, Oscar	172 acres dist 4	1000	11 05			
Brown, R J	33 1-3 acres land	675	9 17	Green, A C	40 acres dist 4	225	4 10			
Brooks, Geo	1 t 1 in Fulton	300	5 77	Frank Morris	77 acres dist 4	550	6 95			
Butterworth, N B	1 t 1 in Fulton	400	6 66	Howell, Graves hrs	53 acres dist 4	500	4 75			
Bynum, A T	80 acres land	1450	17 47	Goodwin, Wiley	60 acres dist 4	350	4 95			
Bennett, M C	2 t 1 Fulton	1000	12 17	Gouger, S W	6 t 1 Hickman	600	13 35			
Cavender & Bro J S	1 t 1 Fulton	2500	24 55	Gouger, P, to sister	3 t 1 "	500	10 66			
Cavender J S	1 t 1 Fulton	300	5 80	Gougher, J A	3 t 1 "	200	7 20			
Chambers, Geo	1 t 1 Fulton	500	5 77	Gildewell J F	45 acres dist 4	600	7 40			
Combs, Geo	1 t 1 Fulton	600	8 28	Gildewell W C	45 acres dist 4	550	8 22			
Cooper J W	1 t 1 Fulton	950	12 52	Gildewell H A						
Dowell Nettie	1 t 1 "	600	7 40	Mrs	28 acres dist 4	550	5 45			
Elliott M S	1 t 1 "	350	6 16	Hart Mrs M	1 t 1 Hickman	200	5 30			
Fields, Gus	1 t 1 "	2000	21 10	Jones, Dolphin	14 acres land	75	3 75			
French, M F	1 t 1 "	800	10 26	Jones Mrs C J						
Gates, J B E	1 t 1 "	200	4 86	for Farvis hrs	23 acres land	2200	24 06			
Gibney, M B	1 t 1 "	50	2 50	Johnson, H M	90 acres dist 4	625	8 63			
Glover, R E & Son	2 t 1 "	800	10 46	Kepper, H P						
Gordon, R T	1 t 1 "	2000	21 73	and wife	80 acres dist 4	350	6 25			
Gregory, J M	1 t 1 "	450	7 10	Keiser hrs	18 t 1 Hickman	1500	25 05			
Green, Mrs Polly	1 t 1 "	2500	24 52	Kirk & Gibbs	1 t 1 "	1000	16 58			
Hamlett, Mrs J	1 t 1 "	800	9 20	Kirk H H	39 1-2 acres land					
Hampton, W B	81 3-4 acres	1900	21 08	and 9 town lots	4360	40 50				
Harpole, W H	1 t 1 "	900	11 18	Kirk Hollis	3 acres dist 4	300	6 82			
Harris, I W	1 t 1 "	750	11 98	Lacy Mrs S	1 t 1 Hickman	100	3 55			
Hudson, J A	1 t 1 "	800	10 26	Lunsford hrs	80 acres dist 4	320	4 88			
Harpole, Jim	1 t 1 "	50	4 60	Marshall Geo.						
Johnson, Bill	4 t 1 "	3400	35 33	W and wife	107 acres dist 4	700	11 70			
Johnson, A R	1 t 1 "	500	7 56	Murphy Mrs M E	68 acres dist 4	700	8 30			
Kennedy, J C	1 t 1 "	2000	20 02	Morgan & Leech	80 acres dist 4	700	8 30			
Kirkland, A J	2 t 1 "	1700	21 75	Mobbs W A	45 acres dist 4	270	5 97			
Kirkland, Mrs G	1 t 1 "	1000	11 01	Pickett, Will	93 acres dist 4	600	8 46			
Knouse, Frank	1 t 1 "	150	3 27	Roberson Lon	80 acres dist 4	1200	8 09			
McAdoo, W T	1 t 1 "	800	11 26	Smith S M	8 t 1 Hickman	300	8 72			
McDade, M L Jr	1 t 1 "	960	11 70	Stacy S M	1 t 1 "	150	4 43			
McDade, Mrs S	1 t 1 "	1220	12 97	Smith, Chas E						
McMullin J K C	2 t 1 "	800	10 26	and wife	1 t 1 "	500	11 80			
Mills, W D	1 t 1 "	120	5 03	Stahr, Mrs Sarah	100 acres dist 4	2500	24 52			
Marrell, Ernest	1 t 1 "	500	6 50	Salmon Q M						
Martineti hrs	1 t 1 "	600	7 40	and wife	2 t 1 Hickman	600	13 30			
Newton, B F	1 t 1 "	1000	13 48	Salmon H S	127 acres dist 4					
Norman, Noah	12 acres district 1	550	7 00	and 2 town lots	1255	9 37				
Osgood, C C	1 t 1 "	650	10 68	Thomas Gus	41 acres dist 4	300	4 70			
Prince, M	1 t 1 "	800	12 50	Thompson hrs	4 t 1 Hickman	500	5 82			
Ramey Mrs M E	50 acres dist 1	1600	16 65	Tullis, Louis D	1 t 1 "	900	13 96			
Ramey, Mrs S A	1 t 1 Fulton	750	6 75	Thomas T D	1 t 1 "	700	15 67			
Rhodes, Mrs D	1 t 1 "	350	5 15	Thompson, Mrs M	75 acres dist 4	750	8 75			
Shupe, Mary Jane	2 t 1 "	960	10 65	Taylor John	1 3-4 acres dist 4	40	4 74			
Simmons W E	34 1-2 acres dist 1	500	7 20	Taylor W G	2 acres dist 4	150	4 45			
Simmons H E	1 t 1 Fulton	800	11 62	Weatherly, A	2 acres dist 4	500	12 90			
Simpson J W and wife	1 t 1 Fulton	800	11 62	Williams, Mag						
Thompson, Dick	1 t 1 "	1510	19 15	gie heirs	53 1-3 acres dist 4	500	6 52			
Walton, Will	3 acres dist. 1	75	2 75	Williams Mrs S A	24 1-4 acres dist 4	5250	4 25			
Walker, J K	3 " " 1	75	2 75	Wilkinson Monroe	1 t 1 Hickman	150	4 43			
West, Binford	1 t 1 Fulton	400	6 90	Taylor Jas P	1 t 1 Hickman	700	14 87			

## FULTON PRECINCT—COLORED.

Alexander, Lewis	1 t 1 Fulton	150	6 00
Alexander, Emitt	1 t 1 "	100	5 25
Alexander, Jno	1 t 1 "	250	5 35
Blythe, Leah	1 t 1 "	150	3 40
Carter, Ocie	1 t 1 "	400	8 56
Harrell, Charlie	1 t 1 "	375	5 60
Hughes, Alex	1 t 1 "	100	3 00
Jordan, Ida	1 t 1 "	200	3 80
Lyons, Tom	1 t 1 "	150	3 40
Patterson, Wm	1 t 1 "	200	5 00
Rucker, Peter	1 t 1 "	250	6 95
Rogers, Tom	1 t 1 "	200	6 35
Terrill, B V	1 t 1 "	300	7 50
Wright, Porter	1 t 1 "	400	6 56
Williams, J W	1 t 1 "	200	4 84

## LOGDON PRECINCT—WHITE

Daws, J F	125 acres dist. 2	2000	31 00
Graham Mrs M J	50 acres dist. 2	500	6 50
Hubert, Mrs M J	4 acres dist. 2; 1 t 1	475	6 30
Hester, W F	54 acres dist. 2	1200	14 25

## LOGDON PRECINCT—COLORED

Patterson, T C	22 acres dist.	500	7 60
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## CAYCE PRECINCT—WHITE

Eulin, Mrs J A	37 acres dist. 3	935	10 50
Isbel, Mrs H C	40 acres dist. 3	600	7 40
Johnson, J C	1 t 1 Cayce	250	3 12
McAdoo T M	110 acres land	2750	7 50
Overall, J W	1 t 1 Jordan dist. 3	800	5 00
Oliver, Arch	83 acres dist. 3	2540	26 00
Reeves Kate estate	1 t 1; 30 acres district 3	1250	13 25
Sweet, N E	3 t 1 Jordan	250	4 25
Williamson Mary	40 acres dist. 3	800	9 25

## CAYCE PRECINCT—COLORED

Motherel, W L	1 t 1 Cayce	150	4 50
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## HICKMAN PRECINCT—WHITE

Adams, C M	1 t 1 Hickman	300	8 70
Anderson J S	19 acres dist. 1	295	6 00
Blakemore, W E	1 t 1 Hickman	150	6 42
Breard, R B	2 t 1 "	800	32 20
Cradock, W O	113 acres dist. 4	800	12 75
Caldwell, J W	19 acres dist 4	550	16 41

## HICKMAN PRECINCT—COLORED.

Alexander David	80 acres dist 4	1000	13 30
Alexander, Allen	1 t 1 Hickman	150	6 92
Barber, Scott A	6 t 1 "	900	14 69
Bragg, Susan	1 t 1 "	150	3 30
Brannan, Walter	2 t 1 "	300	7 67
Brown Caroline	2 t 1 "	150	4 82
Bruer Brown	1 t 1 "	300	8 61
Booker, Richard	1 t 1 "	75	4 80
Burnett, R B	1 t 1 "	100	3 95
Bagby Bill	73 acres dist 4	300	5 96
Chambers, Bob	1 t 1 Hickman	200	6 45
Carter, Amy	2 t 1 "	50	2 65
Clark & Rogers	1 t 1 "	150	3 76
Donaldson Tony	1 t 1 "	100	4 48
Droth Fred	1 t 1 "	150	5 81
Terrill C	1 t 1 "	50	5 65
Fuqua Albert	1 t 1 "	20	3 25
George Ed	1 t 1 "	50	4 90
Gardner Dock	1 t 1 "	150	5 90
Loury, G L	1 t 1 "	200	9 61
Merritt Bros	2 t 1 "	400	6 66
Maddox Jesse	1 t 1 "	300	4 10
Reed Will	5 t 1 "	200	5 91
Ringo Jim	1 t 1 "	150	5 67
Kingo John	1 t 1 "	50	4 72
Shaw Link	1 t 1 "	50	3 53
Shelby Alex	1 t 1 "	75	3 15
Shelby Chas	1 t 1 "	250	7 06
Taylor H F	1 t 1 "	70	4 90
Talley Nathan	2 t 1 "	300	8 65
Upshaw Mina	50 acres dist 4	550	7 00
Upshaw Dave hrs	40 acres dist 4	225	4 03
Walker Will	1 t 1 "	100	3 75
Wadkins Harry	1 t 1 "	50	4 60

## SASSAFRAS RIDGE AND MADRID REND PRECINCT—WHITE

Adams W A	116 acres dist 5	3000	36 82
Burney J S	80 acres dist 5	1025	12 40
Carr T L	80 acres dist 5	400	8 80
Leech & McKeel	70 acres dist 5	350	5 15
Mabel Gin Co	1 acre dist 5	2500	31 25
Parker Rich	12 1-2 ac "	50	3 61
Ray, W F	120 acres "	800	13 35
Stowe F M hrs	42 acres "	300	5 50
Scott Oscar	5 acres "	250	6 22
Everett Margaret	25 acres "	550	7 50
Everett R C estate	390 acres "	4415	46 03

NOTE—dist means district; s 1 means town lot; w f means wife; h s means heirs.

J. T. SEAT, Sheriff Fulton Co.

# IN THE STUD!

—At Oakwood Stock Farm, Hickman, Ky.—

## ALFRED G, 12452.

Record 2:19 3/4.

This great horse is conceded to be one of the greatest harness horse sires of the present day. Having sired three with records better than 2:10 and forty others with records better than 2:30. He is 15.3 hands high, rich brown in color and has the best of disposition. As to being a sire that is the best that has ever been in Western Kentucky or Tennessee, he needs no recommendation.

TERMS for the season of 1907, \$30.00 cash at time of service to insure. Alfred G. will only be allowed 20 outside mares.

## DR. ROAN, 44832

This young horse is the grandest bred fellow in Kentucky. He is by Alfred G 12452, and his first dam is that greatest of great broodmares, SPANISH MAIDEN "dam of Lizzie A (3) 2:13, Margrave 2:15 (sold when 17 years old for \$6700) Cuban 2:18 1-4, Baron Review 2:21 1-4, Hobart 2:18 1-4, Alverton 2:23, Sunday Morning 2:29 (by Happy Medium 400, sire of Nancy Hanks 2:04. Dr. Roan is a roan horse 16 hands high with great bone and substance and has a great flight of speed. This horse will not make a public season this year. Will be used for my private use.

## IRASCIBLE SQUIRREL, 2808.

Black Horse, 16 hands high, foaled 1901.

IRASCIBLE SQUIRREL is the blackest of black horses, with the best of dispositions, fine mane and tail, has length of neck and the best back that any horse ever had, with fine bone and a great deal of substance. He has fine action at all the gaits. He is a fine breeder and his pedigree cannot be improved upon as a saddle horse. This horse traces on his sire's side to Black Squirrel, Dave Skain, Peavine—all noted horses in the saddle horse history. On his dam's side he traces to Mambrino Patchen, Berthune (sire of VanMeter's Waxy foundation stock), to Bald Hornet, an extra fine saddle stallion, and Kirk Eagle. His first, third, fourth and fifth dams were all noted saddle mares, going a running walk, pace and trot, also the rack naturally, fast and easy. There is no saddle stallion with as many natural gaits, saddle dams as this one.

TERMS for the season of 1907, \$20.00 to insure. Due when mare proves to be in foal.

SEASON OPENS MARCH 15, 1907.

Tabulated pedigrees of the above mentioned stallions will be furnished upon application. It will give us great pleasure to show these horses to the breeding public at any and all times.

FOR SALE—A few choice harness-bred colts and fillies.

## OAKWOOD STOCK FARM.

R. A. TYLER, Prop.

**With Its SECURITY**

To Depositors of \$70,000.00 Capital and Surplus.

**With The ASSURANCE**

That every reasonable requirement can be met with its unexcelled facilities.

**With Its RECORD**

For safe and conservative management in the past that promises such in the future.

**THE HICKMAN BANK**

offers its customer a service that is second to none.

**Just Look Here.**

Just look at the good people who know a good thing when they see it. It has been said that unless you burn your horn it will not be blown—not so, we repeat that the Courier is a good thing, and people know it, because in thus saying so we are repeating that which is being said by others every day. These people have given us subscription money during the month of February:

- Mrs. A. C. Summers, Los Angeles, Calif.
- L. Powell, Blodgett, Mo.
- Miss Lucy Rice, Cairo.
- C. E. Eaker, Grays, Ark.
- E. H. Parham, Lynnville, Ky.
- Joe Mangrum, Moscow.
- Sam Sudberry, Russell, Wyoming.
- Mrs. M. McGehee, Bowling Green.
- J. P. Thomas, Fulton, Ky.
- Berry Threlkeld, State Line.
- Mike O'Laughlin, Dorena, Mo.
- Lee Maddox, State Line.
- Ned Naylor, Cayce.
- J. W. Naylor, Cayce.
- Mrs. Fannie Frather, Union City,

- Mrs. Callie McKeen, Fulton.
- G. B. Threlkeld, State Line.
- Chas. Noonon, Route Four.
- J. W. Purcell, "
- P. B. Henry, "
- C. R. Sowell, "
- Louis Atwell, "
- Joe Roper, "
- W. A. Sullivan, "
- G. A. Lutten, "
- W. C. McMurry, Route Three.
- C. C. Bondurant, "
- Bria Sharp, "
- Mrs. King, "
- J. M. Roper, "
- Ed Newton, "
- Ed Gray, "
- L. T. Heath, Route One.
- Mrs. A. Underwood, "
- D. B. Wilson, "
- J. L. Watson, Hickman.
- J. H. Millett, "
- J. A. Thomas, "
- Geo. N. Helm, "
- C. A. Holcombe, "
- J. S. Maddox, "
- Luther Watson, "
- A. Nichols, "
- P. J. Frenz, "
- Green Keys, "

## Government Vessel Coming.

The Government recruiting vessel, the Wasp, will be at Hickman in a week or so, for the purpose of enlisting recruits for the United States navy. The vessel will stop at all towns of 3000 or more population between New Orleans and St. Louis. The people will be shown the duties and life of those who are in the navy and if they wish to enlist, they may. The boat will probably be in Memphis tomorrow.

A widow in half mourning both by that sign confides that she is half a mind to say it's up to you to guess.

"Americans and Japanese are both proud and sensitive," declares a representative in congress. Perhaps it may truthfully be said some day that they are both proud and sensible.

## News at the Court House.

Ed Luttrell was married on the 24th inst., to Miss Hattie Smith, by Rev. H. C. Johnson.

W. P. Reed qualified as administrator for the estate of the late W. H. Carpenter, on the 6th.

## REAL ESTATE

J. R. Miller, Master Commissioner to M. L. Farmer, property in Fulton, \$300.

C. I. Hagan to John Shelby lots in West Hickman, \$600.

Mrs. Fannie Shaw to S. A. Barter, town lot Hickman, \$250.

Mrs. Lillian Hall, Exrs., to W. C. Cox et al, property in Fulton, \$300.

Joy Roach et al to B. W. McCarty, land, \$125.

Delora Roach et al, to B. W. McCarty, land, \$125.

S. N. Sweeney to W. T. Barton, land, \$1200.

Arthur Uphaw to F. S. Moore, land, \$100.

Mrs. M. A. Johnson to Willis Edwards, town lot Cayce, \$50.

M. A. Johnson to Willis Edwards, town lot Cayce, \$100.

J. C. Felix to J. E. Williams, town lot Hickman, \$500.

W. C. Ward to Joana Eulin, lots in Fulton, \$1000.

J. A. Elin to J. S. Shephard, land, \$100.

W. C. Johnson to J. E. Johnson, land, \$400 and other consideration.

J. T. Morgan to J. J. C. Bondurant, land, \$4000.

J. S. Shephard to E. A. Pruitt, land, \$1400.

Perry Jones to Mrs. E. Hertweck, town lot Hickman, \$500.

W. S. Eard to J. E. Gates, land, \$100.

## NEW CIRCUIT COURT SUITS

Ease Boyd vs W. A. Boyd, suit for divorce.

Commercial Bank vs Mrs. Marquette Porter.

Jose Parker vs L. J. Leggate.

W. J. Shaw vs Hattie Shaw, suit for divorce.

## Three States Items.

Gay Lewis, of Cairo, made a business trip here last week.

Sage Tree Ridge seems to be the dry place with some of our people.

Maam Rumor says wedding bells will ring before very long, guess who?

John Tyner, of Nashville, spent several days with Jim Tyner, last week.

Gift buyers have been as thick as summer time the last four weeks.

Messrs. Barnes and Sanders made trip to Cairo Saturday, returning Sunday.

Mal Jackson shipped a nice lot of eggs from the place Thursday, on to Stacker.

Miss Frankie Clarkson of East Cairo, is on a visit to her mother, on Jones.

The last two days have been hot. The farmers are preparing for another crop.

D. Lawrence and family passed through here enroute home to East Prairie from Dorena.

The river is rising very rapidly and is continuing rain. Some bridge another overflow.

Messrs. Carpenter, Rudder and Jennings, of Hickman, were visitors here the past week.

Mr. Coleman and Mrs. Ballow had two children left on Stacker for a few days stay in Osceola, Mo.

Ed Barnes will sell his corn this week. So many are waiting for it to get better so they can haul to the river.

We understand from reliable source that Ed Barnes will move back to his farm as soon as the roads will permit.

Miss Lillie Holland has been employed for this season by E. C. Rice & Co., and will have charge of the millinery department. She comes highly recommended, and the firm will be glad to have a share of your patronage.

Miss Mollie Bourne, who had charge of the Millinery department at Smith & Amberg's last year, will be with them this year. She is well known and well liked here, and her friends will be glad to know that she is to be here another season.

## Local Notes

Miss Jessie Henry is in Louisville.

—Gasoline at the Courier Office.

Don't fail to attend the meeting.

J. M. Moore was in Union City, Sunday.

Mrs. D. E. Allison is in Clinton, this week.

"Just like sitting down at mother's table" Elite Cafe.

Jerry Malone came over from Union City, Sunday.

—When in need of gasoline come to the Courier Office.

Miss Ivy DeBow, has returned from a visit to Fulton.

Leonard Reeves spent Saturday night and Sunday in Fulton.

C. H. Parham and wife spent Sunday with Union City friends.

Nick Holcombe was a conspicuous figure in Woodland Mills Sunday.

—The house of quality is the right place to buy coffins and caskets.

Miss Virginia Davis, of near Cayce, is visiting her brother, B. T. Davis.

Tom Hart has gone to Fulton to work in a new bakery and confectionery.

Hickman's leading undertaker at the Farmers' Hardware Company Incorporated.

Hardware, Cutlery, Groceries, all at reasonable prices.—Shaw & Bettersworth.

—Phone number 51 for H. C. Barrett the undertaker. Night phone number 164.

Telephone Ice Factory Office, phone no. 48 for coal.—Hickman Ice and coal Co.

E. D. Johnson has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late T. H. Johnson.

D. W. and G. A. Humphrey, of Clinton, spent Sunday with their sister Mrs. D. E. Allison.

Messrs. L. P. and E. R. Ellison were in the markets this week purchasing new spring goods.

Mr. W. H. Baitzer is in the markets this week purchasing the new Spring stock of goods for Baitzer & Dadds.

Mrs. Lon Naylor, of Cayce, is attending the revival service at the court house. She is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Naylor.

We were second on the selling list of "True Blue Plows" last year in West Kentucky and Tennessee.—Hickman Hdw. Co. Inc.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reeves, Thursday last week, an eight and a half pound boy. Congratulations to the happy, smiling parents.

Brother Lucas will preach at Blue Pond school house next Saturday night, and on Sunday at 11 o'clock. Also, at Beech Grove, at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. L. M. Kelly is moving his family to Humboldt, Tenn., this week. He has been in business in the Laclede block, on the corner, for the past year, or probably longer.

## Helm & Ellison's Weather Forecasts:

Mar. 9th	Saturday	Local storms
Mar. 10th	Sunday	Local storms
Mar. 11th	Monday	Fair weather
Mar. 12th	Tuesday	Fair weather
Mar. 13th	Wednesday	Storm period
Mar. 14th	Thursday	Storm
Mar. 15th	Friday	Snow storm
Mar. 16th	Saturday	Rain or snow

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HICKMAN, KY.

## Courier Want Column

Add to this column each time you find the Want Column. Less than ten words will cost just as much as 100 words here and will must be paid for in advance.

FOR SALE—Good Work Mare, R. L. BALLOW, Route 4, 41

FOR SALE—3 houses in West Hickman, apply to A. M. TYLER, 41

WANTED—good, single man to work on farm through crops or all the year. Israel Clark, 39

FOR SALE—3 good work mules 4 to 6 years old, also 1 good brood mare 9 years old. Apply to Luther C. Maddox, 41

FOR SALE—One work Mule, Log Wagon, Road Wagon, Surrey, Mower and Rake, also Timothy Hay.—JRO. D. MAYES, 45

FOR SALE—Five or six mules, eight or ten good young work horses. Will sell on ten months' time with approved security. J. F. & S. L. DODDS Co. 35tf

FOR SALE—16 3-year-old mules. Price \$110 to \$135 each, cash or good note. Apply at Maddox & Berry's farm, near Woodland Mills, or to J. F. Maddox, 41

Keep sweet.

—Goin' to meetin'?

Have you seen Bro. Nothin'?

Arch DeBow was in Fulton Sunday.

What does Shaw & Bettersworth sell? Go and see.

Mrs. E. Case spent Sunday with Mrs. Shaw, at State Line.

S. L. Dadds left Sunday for a few days business trip through Mississippi.

Rufus Clay of Caruthersville, Mo., is visiting friends in Hickman this week.

Miss Pearl King has returned from a visit with relatives, near Columbus, Ky.

Circuit Judge Frye, of Obion county, Tennessee, was in Hickman several days this week.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with Mrs. Florence Farris next Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Cox returned Wednesday from West Point where they have been for some time.

We were erroneously informed last week that a gentleman from Owensboro, was in Hickman on business connected with the Wagon Co.

Rev. R. A. Brown, of Clinton, Ky., pastor of the Presbyterian church, arrived in town Thursday and will assist in the Union Revival now in progress.

W. P. Carpenter who died in San Antonio, Tex., was interred in the cemetery at Fulton last Thursday.

Mr. Carpenter had relatives in Hickman.

The ten pictures purchased with the proceeds of Mr. Booth Lowery's lecture have come and when hung will add much to the appearance of the High School rooms.

Gaulder Johnson returned from Memphis one day this week with a negro, Coley Heart, who escaped from Hickman some time ago. He is charged with housebreaking.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Ben Bransford to Miss Ottelia Forrester, both of Union City, the marriage to take place on March 12 at the home of the bride. Mr. Bransford is well known in Hickman.

Leon D. Smith, of the Hickman Furniture Co., reports to us the death of Mr. Walter Baker, aged 28 years, of the Antioch neighborhood, on the Tennessee side. He died Sunday, of typhoid fever, and the remains were shipped to West Point, Tenn., Monday for interment.

There was a report in circulation in Union City last week that people who came to Hickman to trade horses would be arrested if they trotted their horses on the streets to try them, and some other stories to the same effect. A number of people were kept from coming over Saturday on this account. This sort of thing is malicious, and should not be indulged in by anyone who has any principle of right embodied in their cranium.

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THE BEST LINE

in Western Kentucky or Tennessee. They were  
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## Frank Smith

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None better.

Few as good

Leave Laundry at Smith & Amberg's

Miss Hattie Carpenter is visiting relatives in Fulton.

Union City will have a canning factory, probably this season.

Miss Bonnie Carpenter has returned from a visit to relatives at Fulton, Ky.

Marvin Stephenson, who was arrested and taken to Paducah, on a charge of embezzlement, pleaded guilty, and bond placed at \$500. We did not learn whether he made bond.

Miss Elizabeth Nash, of Hopkinsville, arrived in Hickman Wednesday. She has been employed by Baitzer & Dadds, and will have charge of the millinery department this season.

Tom King, the 12 year old stepson of Mr. Davis, died at his home on the Val Carpenter place, Feb. 28. The young man was a brother of the two girls who died in this home on the same day, about two weeks since. His death was caused by malarial fever. The Courier extends sympathy to this family whose sorrow is almost too much to bear.

Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 27, the High School Literary Society met to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Longfellow's birthday. A very interesting program consisting of music, essays on different phases of Longfellow's life, and critiques on several of his productions, was rendered; also a recitation of his poem "The Arsenal at Springfield" by Miss Luten, and a Medley of various poems carried out by 14 members of the Society were much enjoyed. A member of visitors were present engaging in a guessing contest on the "Medley." Thus the meeting was on the whole a very interesting and instructive as well as an enjoyable occasion.

Owen Kirby, the telephone trouble man, will leave Hickman next week. After a short visit at his home, he will go to Norfolk, Va., for the summer.

## The Way They Talk About

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MAKES RHEUMATISM GO

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GENTLEMEN: I feel constrained to say to you that I have been cured of my rheumatism by the use of RU-MA-GO. I have been suffering from it for many years, and it has been a great relief to me. I have no more pain now, and I am able to do my usual work. I am very grateful to you for the discovery of this medicine.  
Yours truly,  
J. N. EDWARDS.

It Will Cure You Also.  
Sold by  
**T. T. SWAYNE**



## Do You Eat?

Then You Want the BEST!  
WATSON HAS IT!  
—I have purchased L. D. Perry's Restaurant and ask my friends to call and see me. Lunches of all kinds at any hour, also regular meals. FRESH OYSTERS served in any style, when in season.

Dinner 11:30 to 1:00

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By the way, scatter them fast!

That roses may bloom by the cottage gate.

And the vine on the garden wall.

Over the rough and the rule of earth.

And the well on the garden floor.

And mark with the opening bud and the

the march of summer hours.

"Scatter the seeds of the beautiful!"

In the pure, the fair and the graceful!

In their inevitable haste come;

Leave not a trace of their destiny.

In the temple of the heart's art.

But gather around this heart the gems

of Nature and of Art.

Every mother has two hands, one to

guide and one to bless.

The girl who is the flower of the

family is the one who knows how to

use the flower of the family.

Whatever happens don't become

a sour old man or woman. Old age

should be a cheerful period of life.

When the lengthened shadows are

softened by the setting sun, when

the twilight seals on space, soon

to be followed by the long night of

rest which remains to all living.

The first person to whom Christ

appeared after the resurrection was

a woman. During all the ages that

have come since that first Easter

morning, whenever there was a word

to be spoken for the Master, a

tender service to be performed,

there was a cup of cold water to

be given to some wayfarer, or at

prayer to be offered for some

sinner's soul, woman has always been

the first on the scene.

Jesus called a little child to represent

who should be the greatest in the

Kingdom of Heaven. No long-

faced elder of the church was brot,

nor smileless member of the mon-

astery, but a prattling child in all

its innocence and mirth; and

unless we are converted from our

sinners, and become in habits

and tastes like unto a child, it is

declared the door will be barred

against us.

On our criticisms of others, let us

remember that we have faults which

our friends have to excuse. How

much would be left of us if all those

who see inconsistencies in us should

look away from our character and

reputation? It is an invariable rule

that those who make the roughest

work with the names of others are

those who have themselves the most

imperfections. The larger the beam

in your own eye, the more anxious

you are about the mote in some-

body else's eye. Instead of going

about town slapping this man's

bad temper and the other man's

folly, and this woman's hypocrisy

and that one's indiscretion, go

home with the ten commandments as

a monitor and make out a list of your

own derelictions.

If young men wish to succeed in

business, they must not spend their

time and money in simply having a

good time. They must not be dis-

scontented with the little place in

which they are in because they

think they are too big for it. The

father and mother, if they had lived in your day and had had the advantage they would be as well up as you. Have you forgotten what a hard time your father and mother had in the early days of life, depriving themselves of the necessities of life in order to save and leave something for their children when they are ready to lay off their earthly toil.

"The beginning of strife is like the letting out of water," says the wise king, and in no case is this truer than in the case of family quarrels. The little breach, no larger at first than a child's finger could stop, but through which comes the continual dropping, if not attended to in time, will widen and stretch, till one fine day there is a waking up to find the angry waters surging around, sweeping in and overwhelming all the sweet peace and love and harmony of home. There is no greater fallacy than to suppose that because people are relatives, there is less necessity for the common courtesy that is willingly extended to a stranger.

It is worse than useless to attempt to repress a girl's natural impulses. The society and companionship of the opposite sex is a perfectly natural and healthful desire. Shut her up and she elopes with a coachman cross her in love and she may lay a suicide's grave, while the world wonders how it is possible for one who "had all that heart desired" could wish to end existence. Many of our young women readers are consumed with ambitious desires they feel the divine spark, which might be fanned into a splendid flame, but parental authority decrees they shall "fold their hands and wait," while the spark becomes dim and goes out, taking hope, perhaps life with it. Do not choose a location for your daughter do not insist that she smother her ambitions and become only a lady, when she might be a genius. The talent which is repressed and strangled would electrify the world. Give it free scope and a heavy weight.

## That Telephone Proposition.

At the stated meeting of Hickman local union 478, A. S. of E. to be held at Farmer's Headquarters, Dillon's Old Ice Office, Monday, March, 11th, inst., at 8 o'clock p. m. The rural telephone proposition will be taken up and discussed and a report made on the franchise of the Cumberland Telephone Co. The rural telephone people, who are seeking to establish an exchange in Hickman, now have a line running as far as Tyler's Oakwood Farm, and desire to establish an exchange in this city. This line, the rural, connects with points in Hickman and Graves Counties and are very desirous to get into communication with us. Come out and hear the discussions on this proposition. It is a farmer's movement, and that which interests them is a live issue with our business men.

The A. S. of E. people are also agitating an elevator for Fulton Co. and three enthusiastic meetings have already been held to discuss ways and means, and the feasibility of the enterprise. This matter will also be touched on at this meeting. Every member of this union is urged to be present as also any others who desire to see the farmer successful in their effort for "readable Prices for Farm Products." Monday evening March 11th, at 8 p. m.

## Dragging Down Pains

are a symptom of the most serious trouble which can attack a woman, viz: falling of the womb. With this, generally, comes irregular and painful periods, weakening drains, backache, headache, nervousness, indigestion, irritability, tired feeling, etc. The cure is

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## Pale, Thin, Nervous?

Then your blood must be in a very bad condition. You certainly know what to take, then take it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If you doubt, then consult your doctor. We know what he will say about this grand old family medicine.

This is the first question your doctor would ask. "Are your bowels regular?" he would say. "If not, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla and your bowels will be regular by taking the medicine of Ayer's Pills."

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A special agent of the post office department has been investigating packages mailed at various places and found that several of them contained writing which was against the law. The persons who mailed the packages were fined ten dollars each. One man was trying to return a lot of stuff that he had ordered from Sears, Roebuck & Co., and took occasion to tell the firm his mind in not sending him what he ordered. He borrowed the money from a merchant to pay his fine, who was entitled to his trade? Moral—plain to be seen by any person of average intelligence.

LISTEN And remember the next time you suffer from rheumatism, neuralgia, or any other kind of neuralgia—try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It will cure you a permanent business man of Hingham, Mass. writes: "I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of all my troubles. I was a great sufferer from rheumatism, and it was only by using it that I was free from these troubles. I am sure I owe this to your Sarsaparilla." By Cowgill's Drug Store and Helms & Ellison.

The only way to make the average man appreciate anything is to take it away from him.

## Freak Bills.

The Kentucky legislature is not the only one that has "freak bills" offered, though it gets full quota. Here are some that are regarded as prize winners:

In Kansas a bill was passed changing the name of George Denolf to George Bell, but failing to change the name of Mr. Denolf. Now there is trouble in that family.

In Missouri, in addition to the bill to tax bachelors, bills have been introduced to prevent tipping, to regulate spend thrifths, to prevent the manufacture or sale of "popping" matches, prevent boys from playing ball on vacant lots and to compel farmers to cut all the morning glory vines and cockle bur plants on their farms.

In Maine a bill has been introduced permitting any person to kill any dog found running at large.

In Colorado a bill has been offered prohibiting foot ball.

In Wisconsin a bill has been introduced providing that all eggs must be stamped, showing the day on which they were laid. "This is to prevent the sale of antiquated hen fruit."

A bill to tax bachelors and one to provide for the incorporation of a cemetery for cats have been offered in Massachusetts.

These are only a few of the "freaks" offered in the different state legislatures, but they serve to indicate that about as many cranks can be found in legislative bodies as outside of them.

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